IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application No. : 10/540592 Confirmation No. 9091

Applicant : Hiroshi Harada Filed : July 15, 2005

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Title : STERILE DEHULLED SOYBEAN AND METHOD FOR

PRODUCING STERILE FULL FAT SOY FLOUR

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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT "C"

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Sir:

Prior to examination, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

- Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 2 of this paper.
- Remarks/Arguments begin on page 4 of this paper.